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Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semiprivate warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants where food products are generally stored for 30 days or more. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported.

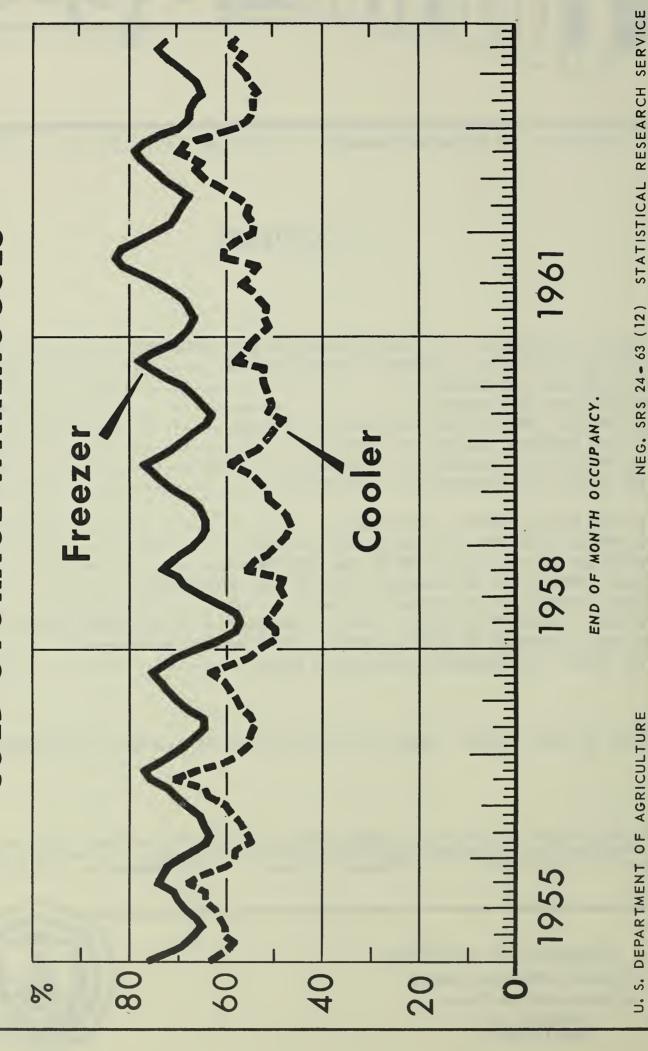
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# PERCENTAGE OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES



### Commodity Summary

December 1 stocks of agricultural products in refrigerated warehouses totaled 7.7 billion pounds, down 670 million from the record high of last month, according to the Crop Reporting Board. About 80 percent of the reduction in total stocks was in cooler products, primarily fresh fruits and vegetables, and the remaining 20 percent was in freezer stocks, principally fruits, vegetables, and poultry. December 1 occupancy of public cooler space was 58 percent, down 1 point from November 1. Freezer occupancy declined 2 points to 72 percent during November. Both cooler and freezer room occupancies were below a year earlier and only cooler occupancy was greater than average for December 1. Holdings of frozen pork moved up to a record December 1 total of 204 million pounds. This is 19 percent more than on December 1 last year and 52 percent more than average. Total pork stocks were 243 million pounds compared with 212 million stored a year earlier and the December 1, 1957-61 average of 184 million pounds. Frozen beef in storage totaled 253 million pounds, a record high for December 1. Previously, the December 1 high was 236 million pounds stored in 1917. Total beef amounted to 267 million pounds, 57 percent more than on December 1, 1962 and 60 percent more than average. For the coming holiday season, warehouse supplies of frozen turkeys totaled 291 million pounds, down 70 million from November 1, but still 26 million more than on December 1 a year ago. Average holdings for this time of year are 228 million pounds.

The 1,333 million pounds of <u>frozen vegetables</u> in storage were the second largest on record for December 1, being exceeded only by the 1,335 million pounds stored at this time last year. Stocks of all frozen vegetable packs were larger than average but stocks of asparagus, lima beans, green beans, brussels sprouts, corn, mixed vegetables, and french fries were in smaller supply than a year earlier. Warehouse stocks of <u>frozen fruits</u> fell off 20 million pounds to 463 million. For December 1, supplies were 17 percent less than last year and 11 percent less than average. Holdings of all fruit items except apples were reduced during the month. Orange concentrate holdings were down to 19 million gallons on December 1 compared with 35 million gallons stored at this time last year and the average of 16 million gallons. Withdrawals of 39 million pounds of <u>creamery butter</u> reduced stocks to 245 million pounds on December 1. These supplies were 29 percent below the stocks a year earlier but more than double the December 1 average of 113 million pounds. The November reduction equaled the net disappearance last year but was twice the average reduction for the month.

Cold storage stocks of American cheese were down to 319 million pounds after an 18-million-pound November reduction. On December 1, 1962, stocks totaled 399 million pounds while average holdings for this time of year are 330 million pounds. Shell egg holdings were down to 108 thousand cases on December 1, compared with 162 thousand for the date last year. Frozen egg stocks declined 12 million during November to 68 million pounds on December 1. Last year, stocks were 77 million pounds after a 21-million-pound November reduction. Average stocks for December 1 are 85 million pounds. Total meat in storage gained 68 million pounds during November, 6 million less than in 1962, but 12 million more than the average November gain. The 610 million pounds of meat in storage on December 1 were almost one-third larger than stocks of a year earlier and about two-fifths larger than average. Cooler and freezer stock changes

Stocks in both cooler and freezer rooms declined during November. A 542-1111000 million-pound reduction in cooler-held products left 3.9 billion pounds in storage on December 1 -- 2 percent more than a year earlier and 10 percent more than the 1957-61 average for the date. November reductions were principally in stocks of fresh fruits, vegetables, canned milk, cheese, and eggs, but holdings of nuts, dried and evaporated fruits, and meats increased during the month. Stocks of all freezer stored items, except beef, pork, and other red meats, fell off during November. A reduction of 134 million pounds brought December 1 holdings to 3.8 billion pounds. For the date, stocks were 4 percent less than last year but 22 percent more than average.

Storage occupancy in public warehouses

Cooler occupancy was 58 percent of capacity on December 1, a reduction of 1 point from November 1. Occupancy of cooler space was 1 point greater than the 1957-61 average for this time of year but 10 points below December 1 a year ago. Freezer occupancy was 72 percent of capacity, a decline of 2 points from last month. This occupancy was 3 points less than average for December 1 and 5 points below this date last year. Dairy and Dairy Products

Cold storage stocks of butter on December 1 were 245 million pounds, 29 percent under a year earlier, but more than double the average for December 1. Holdings declined 39 million pounds during November, the same as in November 1962 and about twice the average decline of 20 million. Government-owned butter in storage on December 1 was reported at 203 million pounds, leaving 42 million pounds in commercial channels, compared with 33 million a year earlier. Holdings of American cheese on December 1 were 319 million pounds, 5 percent less than a year earlier and 3 percent below average for the date. Stocks declined 18 million pounds during November, compared with a 23-million-pound reduction during that month last year and the 19-million-pound-average November decline.

Poultry and poultry products

Frozen poultry supplies on December 1 were 430 million pounds, 11 percent more than both a year earlier and average. Holdings of frozen poultry decreased 60 million pounds during November compared with a reduction of 62 million during November 1962. The average November decline is 40 million pounds. Turkey stocks were 291 million pounds -- a drop of 70 million during November. The inventory was 10 percent above December 1 last year and 28 percent above average, but 9 percent less than the record stocks held on December 1, 1961. Supplies of frozen eggs were 68 million pounds -- a decline of 12 million pounds from November 1. A year earlier stocks were 77 million pounds and the average for the date is 85 million. Stocks of shell eggs were 108 thousand cases on December 1, or 29 thousand cases less than on November 1 and 54 thousand cases below December 1 a year ago. Average holdings for the date are 184 thousand cases.

Meat and Meat Products

Supplies of meat and meat products increased 68 million pounds during November to 610 million on December 1. A year earlier stocks gained 74 million pounds and the average November increase is 56 million pounds. Holdings were 32 percent more than on December 1, 1962 and 41 percent above average. Beef holdings were 267 million pounds, a gain of 30 million during November. The December 1 inventory was 57 percent above the same date last year and 60 percent more than average. Frozen beef holdings were 253 million pounds, a record for the date. Stocks of pork were 15 percent above a year earlier and 32 percent more than average. Frozen pork holdings increased 26 million pounds during November to 204 million pounds, a record for the date. Cooler pork totaled 39 million pounds, a gain of 7 million during the month. Supplies of frozen pork bellies on December 1 were 38 million pounds compared with 23 million on November 1 and 35 million at this time last year. Fruits, vegetables, and juices

Cold storage stocks of <u>fresh apples</u>, reduced by 11 million bushels during
November, totaled 48 million on December 1 -- about 4 million bushels more than both
at this time last year and average. Warehouse stocks of <u>frozen vegetables</u>, which
were at an all-time record 1,359 million pounds on November 1, 1963, declined to
1,333 million pounds on December 1, the second largest on record for the date. The
net withdrawal of 26 million pounds was 13 percent more than the average decline for
November. This time last year, stocks gained 11 million pounds. <u>Frozen fruit</u>
stocks were 463 million pounds compared with 561 million stored on December 1,
1962 and the average of 521 million pounds. <u>Orange concentrate</u> holdings were
reduced 4 million gallons to 19 million on December 1. This inventory was only
about half the stocks of December 1 a year ago but 20 percent larger than average.

Table 1. --Net change in storage holdings during November  $\underline{1}/$ 

Cooler Commodities	Holdings November 30,	Novemb net char	-	Freezer Commodities	Holdings November 30,	November net chang	
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	1,000 lb.	1.000 lb.	Pct.		1.000 lb.	1.000 lb.	Pct.
Apples	104,180 107,475 70,077 29,962 234,631 63,482 6,990 358,766 5,054 14,026 39,153 71,500	- 532,272 - 27,400 - 44,246 - 71 3,436 44,424 53,427 - 4,100 - 19,417 - 1,358 1,288 6,824 3,785 - 26,405	19 21 29 0 13 23 100 37 5 21 10 21 6	Cream	463,101 322,487 1,332,682 253,215 204,290 27,874	- 1,326 - 39,309 - 12,349 - 59,687 - 19,593 - 29,004 - 26,715 28,522 26,034 1,427 - 1,725	22 14 15 12 4 8 2 13 15 5
Total	3,907,596	- 542,085	12	Total	3,813,665	- 133,725	3

<sup>1/</sup> For a detailed breakdown see the tables that follow.

Table 2. Stocks of frozen strawberries, by package-size

		Stocks on hand	
Container Size	November 30, 1962	March 31, 1963 <u>1</u> /	November 30, 1963 <u>2</u> /
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Retail packages (20 ounces & under)	70,837	38,931	52,417
Institutional packages (over 20 ounces) .	103,180	60,891	93,405
Total	174,017	99,822	145,822

 $<sup>\</sup>frac{1}{2}$  Revised.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Preliminary.

Table 3. -- End-of-month Apple holdings, by States

State	November 1957-61 average	November 1962	October 1963	November 1963
New England New York New Jersey Pennsylvania Ohio Illinois Michigan Virginia West Virginia Washington Oregon California Other States	1,000 bu.  3,485 7,531 809 2,115 664 402 4,098 3,255 1,043 16,398 887 2,257 934	1,000 bu.  4,023 7,745 795 3,115 1,110 178 4,259 3,569 857 14,781 1,213 2,085 797	1,000 bu.  4,401 8,452 940 3,245 800 259 5,650 3,917 1,558 25,258 1,488 2,314 844	1,000 bu.  3,528 7,177 840 1,997 590 155 4,615 2,966 1,025 20,611 1,582 2,169 782
Total	43,878	44,527	59,126	48,037

Table 4. -- End-of-month Pear holdings, by States

State	November 1957-61 average	November 1962	October 1963	November 1963
	1,000 bx.	1,000 bx.	1,000 bx.	1,000 bx.
New England New York New Jersey Pennsylvania Ohio Illinois Michigan Virginia West Virginia Washington Oregon California Other States	- 12 6 1 1 5 16 1 - 939 1,204 383 42	- 16 1 - 2 5 - 897 1,747 276 90	- 17 1 1 - 1 57 - 1,171 1,285 249	- 9 - 3 2 - 1,183 959 114 8
Total	2,610	3,034	2,782	2,278

TABLE 5. -End-of-month stocks of fruits, vegetables, and nuts

Net change in stocks during November and comparisons:

Fresh apples: Decreased by 11 million bushels; November 1962 decrease was 7 million bushels; average November decrease is 5 million bushels.

Fresh pears: Decreased by 1 million boxes; November 1962 decrease was 1 million

boxes; average November decrease is 1 million boxes.

COMMODITY	UNIT	November 1957-61 average	November 1962	October 1963	November 1963
Apples, fresh:		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Regular storage	Bushels do.	<u>1</u> /	<u>1/</u>	49,418 9,708	38,655 9,382
Total	do.	=====================================	44,527	59,126	48,037
Pears, fresh:		1	779721	<i>)</i>	+0 <sub>2</sub> 031
Bartletts	Boxes, baskets, etc. L.A. lugs	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	36 3	117 14	23 6
Other varieties	Boxes, baskets, etc. L.A. lugs	2,116	2,652 3 <sup>4</sup> 3	2,289 362	1,769 480
Total	Boxes, baskets, etc.	2,610	3,034	2,782	2,278
Other fruits, vegetables, and nuts:		 			
Fresh grapes	Pounds do.	121,569	161,467 1,887	149,267 2,454	104,923 2,552
Dried and evaporated fruits	do.	25,580	22,899	26,526	29,962
Onions	do. do. do.	39,176 504 48,788	33,501 246 34,372	25,691 1,688 42,769	25,647 240 44,190
Nut meats, peanuts	do. do.	117,877	165,175 3 <sup>4</sup> ,353	167,037 23,170	213,795 20,836
Pecmuts, in shell	do. do.	3,240 32,253	2,367 38,604	1,423 8,632	7,127 56,355

<sup>1/</sup> Not available.

TABLE 6. -- End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products

Net change in stocks during November and comparisons:

Cream: Decreased by 1 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 2 million pounds; average November decrease is 4 million pounds.

Butter: Decreased by 39 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 39 million pounds; average November decrease is 19 million pounds.

Cheese: Decreased by 19 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 16 million pounds; average November decrease is 21 million pounds.

Shell eggs: Decreased by 29,000 cases; November 1962 decrease was 74,000 cases; average November decrease is 144,000 cases.

Frozen eggs: Decreased by 12 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 21 million pounds; average decrease is 22 million pounds.

Frozen poultry: Decreased by 60 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 62 million pounds; average November decrease is 40 million pounds.

COMMODITY	Unit	November	November 1962	October	November 1963
	d	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Cream, milk, and butter: Fluid cream  Plastic cream (75-85% butterfat).  Butter, creamery 1/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2	do. do. do.	9,951 1,734 112,672 4,811 43,833	6,173 523 344,750 1,473 7,878	5,667 444 284,474 1,407 9,683	4,543 242 245 165 884 6,106
Cheese natural:  American 1/  Swiss, including block  All other varieties.	do. do. do.	330,157 11,288 31,020	398,632 9,004 31,151	336,897 11,725 29,561	318,922 11,268 28,576
Total cheese	do.	372,465	438,787	378,183	358,766
Eggs: Shell Frozen eggs, total. Whites Yolks Whole or mixed Unclassified	t.	184 85,211 25,456 21,475 34,696 3,584	162 76,725 16,924 22,001 36,091 1,709	137 79,984 15,697 22,242 39,912 2,133	108 67,635 13,421 19,367 33,219 1,628
Total eggs 2/ (case equivalent)	Case	2,354	2,104	2,162	1,820
Poultry, frozen: Broilers or fryers. Roasters Hens, fowls  Turkeys Ducks Jnclassified	do. do. do.	27,138 9,806 73,147 227,748 9,610 39,284	24,325 11,308 43,807 264,663 9,376 32,787	24,217 11,201 44,081 361,092 16,191 32,744	
Total poultry	do.	386,733	386,266	489,526	429,839

Includes Government-owned stocks listed on page 12. Frozen eggs converted on the basis of 39.5 pounds to the case.

TABLE 7. — End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products, by States

November 30, 1963 Frozen Poultry Creamery American Shell. Frozen State butter choose eggs eggs Other poultry Turkeys 1.000 1.000 1.000 1.000 1.000 1.000 pounds pounds cases pounds pounds pounds 2,168 1,515 7,010 1,442 2 3,106 Massachusetts 5,521 347 4,153 3,090 320 Other States 3,426 1,862 4,532 7,689 11,163 New England 7,651 4,121 42,459 1 17,547 New York 15,299 7,223 2,290 5,046 8,241 126 2 2,374 <u>4,543</u> New Jersey . 2,075 892 2,047 Pennsylvania 8,458 16,949 43,477 22,216 Middle Atlantic . 3,594 2,818 3,946 5,531 6 9,222 Ohio 42 1,245 2,993 1 4,541 479 Indiana 6,382 85,843 58 15,656 34,055 9,319 Illinois 4,062 2,869 1,045 11,118 1,192 Michigan 9,332 300 171,055 2,760 1,151 Wisconsin 61,696 107,761 183,942 65 21,064 16,087 East North Central 18,589 1,344 25,225 3,037 Minnesota 20,441 117 3,113 10,496 3,142 lowa. 38,397 8,958 13,561 21,117 4,006 Missouri 728 159 194 871 67 Daketas 204 2,368 5,681 3,300 15,068 Nebraska 3,416 7,443 1,688 6,706 617 Konsos West North Central 102,467 59,154 19,393 70,833 25,937 South Atlantic 24,407 31,310 1,487 1,129 3,532 1,000 433 Kentucky 4,440 2,472 2,261 1 1,604 2,895 Tennossee 2,383 119 247 705 Ala. and Mississippi 3,643 6,632 2,851 5,912 5,711 East South Central 879 6,474 555 308 4,060 Arkonsas and Louisiana 430 451 167 1,062 3,292 Oklahoma 724 1,234 2,613 9,698 2,761 Texas . . . 3,088 2,564 17,050 1,709 10,297 West South Central 58 660 299 5,135 627 Colorado 376 121 8,097 2,911 761 Other States 781 675 2,969 13,232 1,388 Mountain .749 210 1,296 1,767 3,509 Washington 976 5,696 131 4,224 1,322 Oregon 1,290 11 3,590 2,703 47,256 15,279 California 5,017 Pacific 245,165 318,922 108 67,635 290,836 139,003 United States . . . .

TABLE 8. — End-of-month stocks of frezen truits and vegetables

Net change in stocks during November and comparisons:

Frozen fruits: Decreased by 20 million pounds; November 1962 decrease was 25 million pounds; average November decrease is 18 million pounds.

Frozen vegetables: Decreased by 27 million pounds; November 1962 change was an increase of 11 million pounds; average November change is a

decrease of 24 million pounds.

Frozen orange juice: Decreased by 4 million gallons; November 1962 decrease was 7 million gallons; average November decrease is 5 million gallons.

COMMODITY	November   1957-61 av.	November 1962	October   1963	November		age chan Novembe	
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	5-yr. av.	1962	1963
Fruits, frozen:					Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Apples Apricots Blackberries Blueberries	8,940 20,772	50,945 11,935 21,691 29,612	31,485 13,773 16,221 26,673	48,808 11,735 14,215 25,118	- 12		+119 - 15 - 12 - 6
Boysenberries Cherries Grapes Peaches	78,418	9,575 118,353 10,524 52,613	10,009 78,189 11,495 56,204	9,634 72,317 10,659 52,893	- 8 - 9	- 32 - 6 - 15 - 7	- 4 - 8 - 7 - 6
Raspberries, red	180,843	22,280 2,779 174,017 56,528	28,302 4,503 159,775 46,065	25,605 4,174 145,822 42,121	- <u>1/</u> 8	- 24 - 8	- 10 - 7 - 9 - 9
Total	520,755	560,852	482,694	463,101	- 3	- 4	jt
Juices, frozen: Orange juice	15,725	351,136 35,468 151,509	222,483 22,473 22,473 129,008	186,624 18,851 135,863	- 25	- 16	- 16 - 16 + 5
Vegetables, frozen:	[ ] ]				<del> </del> 		
Asparagus  Beans, Fordhook lima  Beans, baby lima  Beans, snap, regular cut  Beans, snap, French style  Broccoli  Brussels sprouts  Carrots  Cauliflower  Corn  Mixed vegetables  Peas, green  Peas and carrots, mixed  Potatoes, French tried  Spinach  Other frozen vegetables	(116,160 (116,005 (116,005 (147,302 25,872 1/23,116 109,267 20,501 229,321 15,346 90,356 50,537 145,277	71,746 86,868 101,794 51,968 44,729 29,824 48,131 25,787 164,874 22,936 247,001 16,534 198,822 51,127 152,298	21,882 71,459 79,452 107,265 47,434 59,168 21,131 49,014 21,119 183,189 20,184 282,646 15,221 160,175 64,590 155,468	19,167 64,560 69,837 94,236 44,178 63,263 28,105 60,427 25,948 161,226 21,832 248,051 18,075 188,553 61,181 164,043	- 9 - 1/ - 8 - 1/ + 34 - 1/ + 20 - 11 + 27 - 12 + 23 + 21 - 1	- 6 - 4 - 7 - 7 + 25 + 15 + 58 + 34 - 6 + 19 - 13 + 24 + 20 - 8	- 12 - 10 - 12 - 7 + 7 + 33 + 23 - 12 + 8 - 12 + 19 + 18 - 5 + 6
Total	1,011,821	1,335,343	1,359,397	1,332,682	- 2	+ 1	- 2

l/ Not available.

Converted on the basis of 9.9 pounds per gallon.

End-of-month stocks of meats and meat products

Net change in stocks during November and comparisons:

Beef: Increased by 30 million pounds; November 1962 increase was 20 million pounds; average November increase is 17 million pounds.

Pork: Increased by 33 million pounds; November 1962 increase was 51 million pounds; average November increase is 36 million pounds.

Increased by 5 million pounds; November 1962 increase was 3 million Other meats: pounds; average November increase is 3 million pounds.

	COMMODITY	November   1957-61 av	November   1962	October   1963	November 1963
1		1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Ī	Beef:	! 1 			
	Frozen	155,702	157,030	224,693	/ / / /
	In cure and cured	!	13,589	12,738	14,026
	Total	167,442	170,619	237,431	. 267,241
F	Pork, frozen:				
	Picnics	,	6,118 36,857	5,931 50,871	
	Bellies	0-77	35,107	23,146	
	Loins		9,052	7,726 6,515	
	Butts		6,641 3,701	3,479	0,5,0
П	Spareribs		10,096	9,246	11,316
	Trimmings Other pork		13,256 50,981	14,478 56,864	-2,000
		134,389	171,809	178,256	<i></i>
Ĩ	Total	154,509			
-	Dry salt bellies	8,118	6,611	3,297	6,097
	Other dry salt pork	6,117	5,334	3,465	
	Other pork cuts		28,072	25,567	
	Total	49,329	40,017	32,329	39,153
	Total pork	183,718	211,826	210,585	243,443
(	Other meats and meat products:	1	0.660	0 (-1	
	Veal, frozen	,	9,660 11,038	8,634 17,813	
	Canned meats in cooler:				
	Hams	and the second s	40,083 19,938	42,585 25,130	//-//
	Cine medis		463,164		
	Total all meats	432,360	403,104	542,178	610,058
]	Hides and pelts	75,984	57,955	56,092	56,172

 $<sup>\</sup>frac{1}{2}$  No historical data available.  $\frac{2}{2}$  Includes other canned meats.

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TABLE10.	Cold	storage h	holdings, 1	by geogra	geographic regions		- 1	30, 1963			
Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South	East South Central	We st South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU	тноп.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Fruits, frozen:	Pound	5,263	16,667	7,568	1,063	8,908	113	364	396	8,466	48,808
Apricots Blackberries	ф ф	25	₹ 89 9	908 4ΓΓ	163	29	- the	222 hob	117	9,593	11,735
Blueberries	do.	7,183	5,491	6,276	1,781	818	2	200	153	3,137	25,118
Boysenberries	do.	6	286	1468	· 10	64		171	ま	8,453	9,634
Grabes	do.	203	23,296	34,429	2,387	2,285	123	608 148	1,632	4,7年	72,317
Peaches	do.	36.0	6,827	6,629	1.3	9,312	255	923	824	25,873	52,893
Red Raspberries	do.	405	2,001	2,858	2,079	돐	22	258	241	17,400	25,605
Strawberries Other frozen fruits	do.	2,975	12,735	11,089	22 028 22 430	4,398	1,780	4,457	1,804	81,577	145,822
Total	do.	21,360	904,67	93,127	N 01	26,907	2,727	9,512	7,260	187,506	463,101
Juices, frozen:											
Orher fruit juices and purees	do.	1,149	5,435 28,415	4,814	1,741	147,987	828 787	1,663	624 845	22,383 34,520	186,624 135,863
Vegetables, frozen:	Ç										
Beans, Fordhook lima	do.	238	%,2	979 4 032	2,165 9,281	2,609	1,010	267 8447	<b>36</b> 4 <b>36</b> 4	39,664	19,167
Beans, baby lima	do.	285	7,756	4,628	6,913	10,234	1,880		9,343	28,187	69,837
Beans, snap, French style	do.	7. 元 2	18,984	1,598	2,4/2 2,412	3,216	2,5%	1,0/9	143	14,470	178
Bruccoli	do.	064	13,74	1,684	7,032	3,213	273	3	486	34,682	63,263
Carrots	do.	382	7,867	3,403	2000	2.05 <sup>t</sup>	100 100	339	£22	17,003	28,105
Cauliflower	ф	202	4,677	810	2,494	本8	1486	836	472	15,117	25,948
Mixed vegetables	do.	194	19,967	12,316	43,754	7,172	1,899	£33	640°C	72,586	161,226
Deas and carrots mixed	do.	9,111	27,914	11,810	31,163	406,8	2,815	1,639	2,536	152,159	248,051
Potatoes, french fried	do.	103	2,026	1769	3,343	599	241		231	10,471	18,075
Spinach	do.	671	17,723	2,510	8,002	2,955	1,722	1,503	1,324	24,771	61,181
Total	do.	•	200,164	63,834	165,214	90,196	53,193	N 90	101,890	574,950	1,332,682
Poultry, frozen: Broilers or frvers	op	913	2 281	2.00	200	e c	1/20	001.0	\$ 50	6,50	0// 10
Roasters	9 op	年,	1,383	1,250	2,50	1,453	800	1,286	288	100,1	12,095
Turkeys	do.	11,309	30,834	3,151	70,833	24,407	1,663	2,313	13.232	6,002 11,089	290,876
Ducks	do.	615 404	6,596	3,038	334 5,865	503 3.534	241 2,854	3,033	334	1,840	15,495
Total	do.	18,852	53,050	77,783	96,770	55,717	12,343	27,347	14,620	73,357	429,839
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	:	Nex	Middle	Last	West	South	East	West			1
	Ç.	England	Atlantic	North	North Central	Atlantic	South	South	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU	тноп.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU	THOU.	THOU.	тной.	THOU.	THOU.
Fruits, vegetables, and nuts: Fresh grapes	Pound		16	101		•	⇉	₽	8	104°,796	104,923
Other fresh fruits	do.	186	287		19	757	136	190 6	984	737	2,552
	do.		14,155	7.59	17		ייי	252	2	10,307	25,647
	do.	3 41 5 7	16.879	104	1.149	371	9,103	7,1448	т <sub>1</sub> С9	2.756	240
•	do.	615	136	2,538	363	189,928	5,345	14,555	4	315	213,795
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	<b>.</b> 6	1,043	4,037	4,163	936	1,293	689	1,098	214	7,363	20,836
• • •	do.	1,269	2,573		2.566	11,286	4,100	32,422	61	573	6,355
•	Bushel	3,528	10,014	5,675	7	4,287	94	18	42	24,362	48,037
•	DONCE	1		٥		ŧ	•	7	•	2,256	2,276
iiry products and eggs:	Pound		288	קטנ	104	į	ų.	72	h¢	440	li cho
	do.	\ <sup>2</sup>	2,500	17	21	£ 75.	1	2	101	7/7	242
•	do.	4,532	16,949	107,761	102,467	2,146	3,643	2,564		4,428	245,165
Cheese, Natural, American	6	3,426	43,477	183,942	59,154	11,137	5,912	1,709	2,969	7,196	318,922
Other natural varities	do.	1 69	3,096	7,407	2,00°Z	530	1 26	135	186	325	28,576
•	Case	-	7	•	#	0	-	7=		(=	108
•	Ponod	1,862	8,458	21,064	19,393	5,121	2,851	3,088	781	2,017	67,635
Meats, meat products, and fish:		-				1					
•	<del>d</del> 0.	119,411	52,172	63,780	30,966 11,780	18,341	7,236	18,105	4,574	38,630	253,215
•		)	6,9430	17067	40/61	1,001	OTO	/ 77	1,007	7,170	2061
•	do.	259	246	•	2,493	419	218	837	439	775	7,632
•	do.	1,310	3,147	15,954	17,326	1,692	2,688	2,295	1,177	2,914	48,503
•	6	265	1,156	16,960	14,433	705	767	1,099	101,1	1,805	30,391
	do.	071	707 524	1,680	1,00	1,011	207 207	77.	87	1,96	8 3th 0
	do.	<u></u>	208	1,301	1,113	264	25	106	119	413	3,720
•	do.	252	390	1,796	5,611	592	229	229	208	2,009	11,316
•	do.	388	1,032	5,738	6,377	1,045	1,140	1,222	508	1,550	19,000
•	<b>do.</b>	282	5,730	20,165	18,666	2,835	1,634	2,055	1,370	3,450	57,515
•	do.	72	118	803	4,235	251	164	253	142	59	6.097
•	do.	•	97	1,207	2,048	247	77	25	1	22	3,757
•	do.	156	2,535	6,172	12,623	2,950	1,762	1486	552	2,063	29,299
•	90°	1,234	2,960	1,558	1,63	061 78c	715	693	210	1,0/1	16,946
• • •	do.	1,296	8,071	9,577	17,0年	4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1.018	, E	155	6,282	45,055
•	do.	212	3,244	3,383	17,956		#8		198	1,000	26,445
	do.	1,481	418	19,111	28,427	1.163	492	4.155	572	353	56,172

Table 11. --Commodities stored in public general cold storage warehouses, October 31, 1963

Cooler commodities	Net weight	Freezer commodities	Net weight
	1,000 pounds		1,000 pounds
Apples	13,410 3,981 38,204 25,519 135,188	Cream	4,539 274,012 72,775 440,010 353,260 116,037
Shell eggs	6,084		00-,-20
Beef	1,171 29,146	Beef	201,847 114,158 21,011 193,516
Miscellaneous	320,358	Miscellaneous	191,733
Total	1,000,985	Total	2,845,114

Table 12. --End-of-month stocks of certain commodities in storage owned by the Government  $\underline{1}/$ 

Commodity	Unit	November 1957-61 average	November 1962	October 1963	November 1963 <u>2</u> /	
		Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	
Butter, creamery	lb.	79,294	312,192	236,282	203,128	
American Cheddar cheese.	lb.	55,542	90,534	28,191	21,359	
Pork	lb.	3,485	2,211	1,939	1,415	
Beef	lb.	2,37 <sup>L</sup>	2,121	3,936	2,681	

<sup>1/</sup> Government holdings are included in the tables of total holdings elsewhere in the report and concist of reported stocks held by USDA, the Armed Services, and other Government agencies. In addition to stocks reported above, Armed Services hold some stocks in space owned and operated by them on which figures are not available.
2/ Based on actual reports. Estimates on late reports are not included. Current figures will be revised next month.

Table 13. --End-of-month stocks of frozen fishery products  $\underline{1}/$ 

November				
### Pillets and steeks:  ### Blocks and slabs	Species			
Pillets and steeks:   24,836   24,730   23,5°3   Cod		1.000 lb.	1.000 lb.	1.000 lb.
Blocks and slabs	Salt-water:			
Blocks and slabs	Fillets and steaks.			
Ocean perch       13,155       14,804       15,924       822       Salmon       379       514       822       Salmon       240       433       898       898       Aniting (incl. split "butterfly").       2,957       2,050       2,025       0,025       0ther fillets and steaks       6,316       5,951       5,830       5,830       Fish sticks or pieces (cooked & uncooked, all species).       9,930       11,564       12,045       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,046       12,044       12,046       12,046       12,046       12,044       12,046       12,044       12,046       12,044       12,046       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044       12,044	Blocks and slabs	10,118 5,573 5,841	8,736 7,331 6,430	10,246 8,093 6,285
### Thitting (incl. split "butterfly").  Other fillets and steaks	Ocean perch	13,155 979	14,804 514	15,924 822
Round, dressed, etc.:  Halibut  Mackeral (except Spanish).  Salmon:  Aing or chinook  Silver or coho  Chum or keta  Chum or keta  Smelt  Swordfish  Swordfish  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Swordfish  Swordfish  Swordfish  Chum  Swordfish  Swordf	Shiting (incl. split "butterfly")	2,957	2,050	2,025
Halibut	Fish sticks or pieces (cooked & uncooked, all species)	9,930	11,564	12,045
Mackeral (except Spanish)       838       1,044       793         Sablefish       3,285       2,337       2,568         Salmon:         King or chinook       4,689       5,825       5,063         Silver or coho       5,934       4,048       3,612         Chum or keta       1,476       1,216       1,975         Unclassified       1,472       1,484       1,574         Smelt       3,135       1,453       1,432         Swordfish       2,355       2,892       2,977         Tuna       1,052       1,754       1,327         Whiting, headed and gutted       13,947       11,875       10,256         Other salt-water fish (except bait)       17,007       10,941       12,144         Fresh-water:         Fillets and steaks       1,630       2,444       1,410         Round, dressed, etc.:       1,479       1,771       1,871         Trout       1,102       1,221       1,275         Whitefish       2,075       1,438       1,438         Other fresh-water fish (except bait)       3,517       3,473       3,359	£			
King or chinook       4,689       5,825       5,063         Silver or coho       5,934       4,048       3,612         Chum or keta       1,476       1,216       1,975         Unclassified       1,412       1,884       1,574         Smelt       3,135       1,453       1,432         Swordfish       2,355       2,892       2,977         Tuna       1,052       1,754       1,327         Whiting, headed and gutted       15,947       11,875       10,256         Other salt-water fish (except bait)       17,007       10,941       12,144         Fresh-water:         Fillets and steaks       1,630       2,444       1,410         Round, dressed, etc.:         Chubs       1,479       1,771       1,871         Trout       1,102       1,221       1,275         Whitefish       2,075       1,438       1,438         Other fresh-water fish (except bait)       3,517       3,473       3,359	Mackeral (except Spanish)	838	1,044	793
Swordfish	King or chinook	5,93 <sup>1</sup> 4 1,476	4,048	3,612 1,975
Fresh-water:  Fillets and steaks	Swordfish	2,355 1,052 13,947	2,892 1,754 11,875	2,977 1,327 10,256
Round, dressed, etc.:  Chubs	Fresh-water:	,,,,	,,	12911
Chubs       1,479       1,771       1,871         Trout       1,102       1,221       1,275         Whitefish       2,075       1,438       1,438         Other fresh-water fish (except bait)       3,517       3,473       3,359	Fillets and steaks	1,630	2,444	1,410
	Chubs	1,102 2,075	1,771 1,221 1,438	1,275 1,438
				3,359
Bait and animal food (salt & fresh-water) 8,297 7,430 5,818		8,297	7,430	5,818
Shellfish:       3,085       4,689       4,759         Lobster tails (spiny).       6,685       4,603       4,857         Oyster meats       900       1,205       1,269         Scallop meats       2,952       3,055       3,469         Shrimp, raw and headless       27,500       37,418       38,926         All others       7,571       13,910       14,598         Squid       1,632       1,138       1,070	Crabs (incl. crab meat).  Lobster tails (spiny).  Cyster meats  Scallop meats  Shrimp, raw and headless  All others	6,685 900 2,952 27,500 7,571	4,603 1,205 3,055 37,418 13,910	4,857 1,269 3,469 38,926 14,598
Other shellfish	Other shellfish			-
Total frozen fish and shellfish	Total frozen fish and shellfish	227,864	243,452	241,622
Cured fish	Cured fish	13,377	12,500	13,185
Total all fish and shellfish	Total all fish and shellfish	241,241	255,952	254,807

<sup>1/</sup> Data furnished by the Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service.

TABLE 14. -- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general warehouses in selected cities

				Den Per		of net p	lind on	100 000	-1-1	
<b>6</b> 1. (4)	Net man	oiling oce	Oct	tober		mber		ober		ember .
City (1)	report	ted (2)		L962		62		.963		63 2/
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer,	Cooler	Freezer	The second second second	Freezer
	1,000 cu: ft.	1,000 cu.ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pet.	Pet.
New England: Boston • • • • •	1,628	5,617	87	84	87	86	37	94	37	95
Middle Atlantic:  New York  Jersey City.  Buffalo.  Rochester.  Philadelphia  Pittsburgh.	4,366 4,859 890 1,027 1,225 1,286	6,850 8,347 1,589 2,540 6,291 2,298	78 78 67 68 79 47	85 81 90 68 82 53	75 73 61 68 86 65	87 78 78 64 80 56	68 30 83 86 65 72	82 70 75 71 81 50	71 28 73 78 43 72	83 67 72 69 83 43
E. N. Central: Cleveland Cincinnati Chicago Detroit Milwaukee	1,830 484 13,004 2,542 <u>3</u> /	2,886 2,098 18,418 4,249 <u>3</u> /	77 58 62 76 59	90 90 87 93 89	73 45 62 80 52	81 81 84 92 87	57 79 65 82 70	84 90 82 96 92	63 76 59 80 <u>3</u> /	82 87 82 91 <u>3</u> /
W. N. Central: Minn. St. Paul. St. Louis Kansas City	596 3,516 7,790	3,057 4,390 <b>17,</b> 338	75 90 79	92 82 86	86 89 78	87 77 83	70 46 73	98 70 79	60 51 71	92 66 76
South Atlantic:  Baltimore & D. C.  Richmond  Norfolk	767 704 985	4,567 945 1,108	69 63 30	79 89 56	67 54 53	79 80 71	5 <sup>4</sup> 67 30	77 81 84	54 66 46	75 85 91
E. S. Central:  Nashville  Memphis	3/ 415	3/ 2,553	87 67	86 81	84 47	87 77	87 30	95 92	3/ 46	<u>3</u> / 90
W. S. Central:  New Orleans	3/ 4,637 964	3/ 3,247 1,261	95 68 38	90 82 76	90 61 43	87 94 74	100 25 37	57 34 71	3/ 38 55	<u>3/</u> 56 66
Pacific:										
Seattle  Portland  Los Angeles  San Francisco  San Jose  Modesto	196 232 2,827 1,145 2,451 74	4,269 9,682 3,378 3,368	60 76 67 54 38 51	65 92 79 80 58 96	49 73 74 54 24 51	60 83 77 83 59 94	59 75 77 53 32 42	71 64 83 71 60 96	57 89 76 51 24 39	63 61 83 69 58 93

Space shown includes public warehouses located in the metropolitan area.
 Space reported to USDA and temperatures held on November 30, 1963.
 Insufficient returns received from this city.

TABLE 15. -- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general refrigerated warehouses

TABLE 15 End-01-80			ccupan							
C1-1	Net pil	ing space	Mor				piling s		ccupied	mber <sub>2</sub> /
State or geographic region		rted (1) er 1963		rember 7-61 av.		ember 162	0cto		Nove	mber 2/
geographic region	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer		Freezer	Cooler F		Cooler	Freezer
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Maine, N. H. and Vt	233	3,297	56	68	37	70	38	60	38	63
Massachusetts	2,639	6,946	67	83	82	82	56	91	54	91
R. I. and Connecticut	696	1,641	62	78	68	84	70	_90	67	88
New England	3,568	11,884	66	80	77	79	57	82	56	83
New York	16,557	20,100	66	80	69	80	74	81	69	79
New Jersey	5,431	10,253	47	78	74	<i>7</i> 8	32	69	30	67
Pennsylvania	3,538	10,068	62	75	73	74	72	72	66	72
Middle Atlantic	25,526	40,421	62	79	70	78	65	76	61	74
Ohio	3,840	8,077	64	82	71	82	66	87	67	84
Onio	556	1,999	61	72	71 62	78	66	81	57 74	79
Illinois	16,423	19,945	52	80	68	85	59	79	55	80
Michigan	3,474	7,308	71	80	78	87	84	74	78	73 78
Wisconsin	7,363	2,562	58	78	69	81	64	87	59	78
East North Central	31,656	39,891	58	80	69	84	64	80	60	79
Minnesota	921	6,249	64	78	71	78	62	93	59	89
Iowa	570	4,370	42	56	52	67	35	76	29	76
Missouri	3,502	8,130	59	66	57	75	59	80	63	73
Dakotas and Nebraska	750	4,181	44	82	61	78	51	63	59	66
Kansas	8,190	18,174	43	84	79	82	72	76	70	73
West North Central	13,933	41,104	48	74	72	77	65	78	65	75
Delaware, Maryland & D.C.	886	5,782	56	74	70	80	58	72	58	70
Virginia and West Va	4,349	2,870	66	71	74	80	69	81	60	83
North and South Carolina.	662	1,438	59	77	64	68	79	81	82	80
Georgia	5,355 1,135	3,688 14,180	<b>7</b> 0 53	88 42	70 51	82 56	56 76	70	68	72 34
South Atlantic								37	77	
ooden Actanore	12,387	27,958 	65	59	70	69	63	55 	66	54
Kentucky	577	1,519	61	73	76	80	82	86	80	82
Tennessee	1,734	6,803	68	79	62	80	58	88	62	88
Alabama and Mississippi .	256	997	78	77	67	93	41	82	61	94
East South Central	2,567	9,319	69	77	66	82	60	87	66	88
Arkansas	109	1,367	30	80	47	58	47	87	50	88
Louisiana	4/	<u>4</u> / 537	75	79	88	86	98	61	4/	
Oklahoma	7 586	537	55	74	62	86	53	81	4/ 51 48	<u>4/</u> 73
	7,586	8,150	49	64	62	82	35	60		70
West South Central	9,178	12,021	52	69	65	78	43	65	53	76
Mountain	1,077	10,002	57	76	51	71	57	67	66	68
Washington	572	14,625	37	75	37	74	67	77	70	64
Oregon	2,697	14,356	40	78	69	76	42	77 58	46	59
California	12,526	29,430	50	78	50	73	40	77	39	75
Pacific	15,795	58,411	48	77	53	74	41	72	41	68
United States (3)	115,687	251,011	57	75	68	77	59 ✓	74	58 🗸	72 /
1/ Space was to day 1.				//		//	7)	/,1	)0	14

<sup>1/</sup> Space reported to USDA and temp 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Weighted average occupancy. 4/ Insufficient returns received. Space reported to USDA and temperatures held on November 30, 1963

	Type of warehouse							
State or geographic region	Public 8	general	Private & s	emiprivate	Meat-pe		Apple h	ouses
teRton	or below	Above 00 P. to 500 P.	0° F. or below	Above 00 P. to 500 P.	OF P.	Above 0° P. to 50° P.	0° F.	Above 0° P.
	1,000 ou. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 ou. ft.	1,000 ou. ft.			1,000 ou. ft.	1,000 ou. ft.
Maine	1,965	237	1/	1/	_	_	1/	1/
New Hampshire		1/	1/ 1/ 1/ 980	1/ 1/ 1/ 414	_	_	<u>=</u> /	1,676
Vermont	1/ 1/	1/ 1/ 3,004	ī/	Ĭ/	- ,	- ,	<b>-</b> ,	899
Massachusetts	11,05,3	3,004	<u>5</u> 80	414	1/	1/	1/_	1/_
Rhode Island	<u>1</u> / 990	1/ 406	1/,	$\frac{1}{1}$	-	-	2	197
Connecticut	15,103	3,971	2,155	<u>+/</u> 510	1/	1/	<u>±/</u> 62	12,363
IIC# HIBECHIC	17,103	3,911	と・エノノ	710	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		12,303
New York	23,634	15,631	2,979	5,754	730	1,559	951	20,716
New Jersey	12,775	5,371	1,375	2,587	-	-	88	2,896
Pennsylvania Middle Atlantic	12,173	4,226	1,875	2,682	61	715	427	7,726
	48,582	25,228	6,229	11,023	791	2,274	1,466	31,338
Ohio	9,489	4,374	119	216	1/2000	<u>1/</u> 760	1/	$\frac{1}{2}$
Illinois	2,001 17,825	677	809 610	280 532	390 402	1,077	<u></u> †∕/	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\
Michigan	11,937	3,865	4,991	3,501		1/	= 1/	<del>1</del> /
Wisconsin	3,345	9,257	822	7,406	1/1	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	I/
East North Central.	44,597	36,742	7,351	11,935	2,223	4,237	29	18,106
Minnesota	6,725	1,070	3,598	1,175	1,364	874	-	-
Iowa	5,142	720	862	227	2,402	2,701	<b>-</b> ,	<b>-</b> ,
Missouri	8,439	4,153	1_/	1/	761	1,066	1/	1/
South Dakota	$\frac{1}{1}$	1 1/	7/	1/	1/	1/	-	_
Nebraska	4,092	954	1 1/	1/ 1/	1 ₹/	1	_	
Kansas	11,070	<u>1</u> / 954 10,215	=	₹	728	1,827	<u>1</u> /	1/
West North Central.	35,794	17,176	4,822	2,517	6,606	10,126	1/	1/
Delaware	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	-	-
Maryland & D. C	1/ 5,649	856	<u>1</u> / 253	64	1/1/	1/ 1/ 193	1/	1/
Virginia	3,066	7,289	1,926	5,912	20	193	189	13,229
West Virginia North Carolina	816 987	704 793	400	<u>1</u> / 202	1/	<u> </u>		₹/
South Carolina	1/	1/	1/		1/	1/	=	=/
Georgia	4,003	4,689	1,884	<u>l</u> / 291	1/ 244	1/ 545	-	-
Florida	15,960	1,333	20,305	2,458	-	-	-	-
South Atlantic	31,590	15,858	25,226	9,068	396	1,777	199	18,780
Kentucky	1,661	937	<u>1</u> / 995	<u>1</u> /	1/	1/1/	1/	1/
Tennessee	6,882	2,121	995	748	1/ 1/ 1/	1/	<u>1</u> /	1
Mississippi	2,092 510	1,050 335	1/ 266	<u>1</u> / 209	1 1/	†/	_	
East South Central.	11,145	4,443	1,384	524	219	636	1/	1/
Arkansas	2,941	135		1/	-	-	1/	1/
Louisiana	2,774	1,236	<u>1</u> / 501	57	-	-	-	-
Oklahoma	1,131	759	1/	1/	$\frac{1}{1}$	$\frac{1}{1}$	-	-
Texas	10,803	6,076					-	-
	17,649	8,206	2,198	907	1,173	1,285	1/	1/_
Montana	154	76	1/	1/	1/,	1 1/	-	-
Colorado	3,682 3,274	252 1,006	1/ 1/ 1/	†/	1/1/1/1/	1 ₹/		_
New Mexico	' '	1	<u> </u>	1 1/	=/	_	-	_
Arizona	$\frac{1}{1}$	1/ 1/ 280	=	-	1/	1/	-	-
Utah & Nevada Mountain	2,082		1/	1/	1/	1/	-	-
	9,989	1,860	5,258	1,266	1/	1/	-	-
Washington	16,517	1,521	5,360	1,912	287	393	456	75,427
Oregon	10,568	2,297	9,197	1,030	$\frac{1}{1}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{1}$	1/
Pacific	36,132 63,217	10,668	14,458	17,616 20,558	518	913	1,083	98,174
			29,015					
United States	277,666	127,970	83,638	58,308	12,400	22,071	2,842	179,716

<sup>1/</sup> Not shown to avoid disclosure of individual plant reports.



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